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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 2, line 27 - page 3, line 13, delete current paragraph and insert therefor:

The present invention provides a facsimile system comprising a facsimile machine reading image data from an original, a computer transmitting to and receiving from the facsimile machine data of addressee identification information indicative of at least a name of addressee and a facsimile number corresponding to the name of addressee, computer-side storage means provided at a computer side for storing the data of addressee identification information, computer-side referring means provided at the computer side for referring to the data of addressee identification information stored in the computer-side storage means, and instruction means provided in the facsimile machine so as to be instructed at a facsimile machine side to refer via the computer-side referring means to the data of addressee identification information stored in the computer-side storage means in case of facsimile transmission.

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